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# EXTRA

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# VOTE FRIDAY

Winona State College, Winona, Minn., February 19, 1958

## 20 SEEK COMMISSION POSTS

With Somsen's lower halls bedecked with posters and other campaign literature plugging the various candidates for student commission vacancies, the *Winonan* took note. With pictures and statements from the 20 nominees for the commission seats, the staff has compiled this special student edition. We are proud that this, the *Winonan's* first "Extra," is dedicated to developing sound student government.

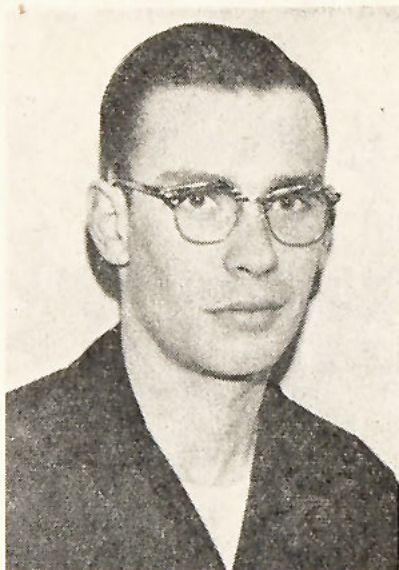
### For President



**Bill Kuehl.** My extra-curricular activities include: past president, Business Club; vice-president, Newman Club; Wenonah Players; and chairman of the 1957 Homecoming Dance. I am presently the Finance Commissioner on the Student Commission.

If elected, I will work for greater unity between the students and the school with closer cooperation between the administration and the commission. I will try to initiate a unified pattern for assembly programs. I would try to develop a check between the Departmental Commissioner and club presidents. Such action would help to establish a uniform pattern of meetings preventing conflicts between scheduled activities. I would work for a revision in the manner in which

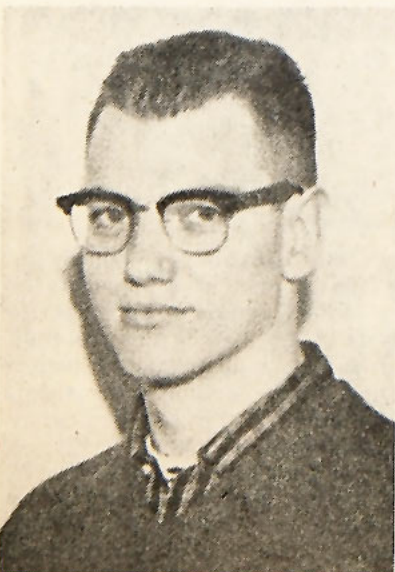
Who's Who nominees are selected. Above all, I will stand with the students on policies and matters that are of interest to them.



**Burton Ferrier.** I am the present Vice-president of the Commission. I was chairman of the 1957 Homecoming, president of the student NEA, member of the Science Club, Minnesota Academy of Science, and the orientation team.

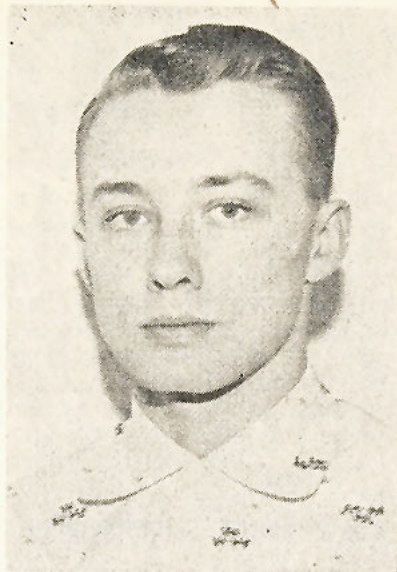
If elected, my main objective would be to continue our trend toward better student government. I will continue to work on the improvement of the student voice in school affairs and on getting things done as the students want them. I have a sincere interest in student government and believe that I am qualified to do the job as you want it done.

### For Vice-President



**Ken Landro.** I feel that the experience I have gained as president of the Sophomore Class, and

**Bob Motzko:** In high school I was president of the FFA and vice-president of the senior class. At Winona State I am a member of the Science Club, English Club, and the student NEA. I have worked on homecoming committees and with the chairman of last year's Homecoming. These activities, I feel, qualify me



for the office I now seek.

If I am elected I will be an active member, directing my efforts to secure for the student body the kind of representation it wants. As general chairman of next year's Homecoming I will try to continue the trend toward bigger and better homecomings.

### For Treasurer



**Daniel Kilkelly.** I have been a member of the finance committee during the past year. While serving on this committee I have consistently voted for projects that I believed the majority of the students wanted. If elected, I will continue to work for the benefit of the students and I will again vote for a big-name band at State.

I am active in the Newman Club (presently treasurer), football, intra-mural athletics, and swimming. While on the finance committee I voted "yes" to allocate money for a double header basketball game between Winona State and St. Mary's College. I pledge myself to continue to work toward larger allocations for the development of varied social interests and a balanced program of extra-curricular activities. I believe that I can, through experience, best represent the interests of the student body.



**Neal Lang.** I have been a member of the finance committee and have a fair knowledge and understanding of its basic functions. As chairman of the 1957 Homecoming Parade and president of the Junior Class, I realize the conditions that exist in working with finances and budgets.

I would try to keep the students informed, either through this paper or some other means, as to what our finance committee is doing. I would also be open to any questions, criticisms, or suggestions that any student may have concerning the committee's duties or actions. I think our student government could use the power given it a little more extensively than it has in the past. I would also like to see more student enthusiasm.

### For Secretary



**Barbara Whitcomb.** Before coming to State I served as a member of our county Board of Directors of the 4-H clubs of America. During the past year I have been secretary of the Joint Social Committee and publicity chairman of Gamma Delta.

If elected I will, to the best of my abilities, fulfill the duties of the secretary of this organization. I shall strive always to better our

student government and to represent the needs and desires of the student body.



**Marie Engrav.** Some of the extra-curricular activities in which I have participated that would qualify me for this position are: President of the FTA, pep chairman, chairman of the Inner Circle (Girls Service Organization), secretary-treasurer of the Freshmen Class, and secretary of Walther League.

I will do my best to give the students more control, and to bring a closer relationship between Winona State and other state colleges. Also, I will try to promote a closer unity and understanding between the students and the commission by showing the students the importance of good student government.

### For Social Commissioner

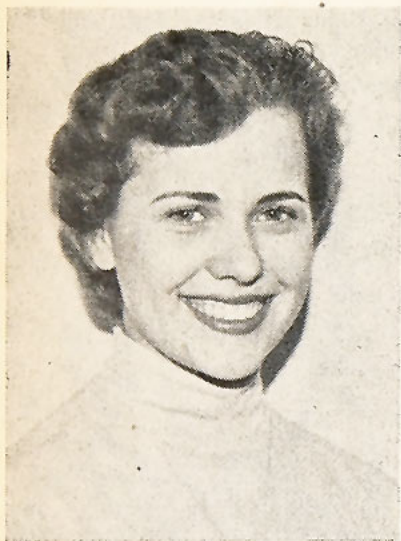


**Charlotte Svenningson.** In high school I was chairman of the student government committee in charge of preliminary planning, organizing, and conducting school pep fests, promoting school spirit and establishing school loyalty. I also served as a class officer, officer of the Girls Athletic Association, and first president of the school's FTA. In college I have served as an officer in the



following organizations: Student NEA, WPE, and as a class officer. In addition, I have been a member of five social committees.

As social commissioner, I would carry out the ideas of the student body. I will support these ideas in debates and publicize all social activities through the media of our monthly social calendar. I will work toward the improvement of our Co-rec activities and concentrate strongly on increasing our publicity program.



**Judy Bauch.** Presently I am serving as secretary-treasurer of the Sophomore Class. I have also been chairman of the decorations committee of the Christmas Formal, Christmas Seal Drive, and the dorm float committee. I have, in addition, taken part in several school variety shows.

If I were elected social commissioner, I would try to promote a greater variety of social activities. If possible, I would initiate more informal dances. I think that the student government has been doing a very good job and has many good accomplishments to its credit. I will work to the best of my ability toward the further improvement of our student government.

#### For Athletic Commissioner



**Larry Whittier.** Through participation in football, intramurals, W Club, and various events in promoting student interest, I feel qualified in seeking the office of athletic commissioner.

If I am elected, I will strive for a year-around intra-mural program scheduled to permit students of various abilities to participate. By using various indoor games such as volleyball, table tennis, etc., that encourage student participation, I feel we can

stimulate student interest in variety contests.



**Charles Frisby.** I was treasurer of the Representative Council last year. During that time I aided in establishing the current student commission. I have been a class officer for the past two years. I am also a member of the W Club and have participated in track and intra-mural activities.

I am going to try to instill better school spirit and develop larger followings at all our athletic contests. I believe that the student commission positions must be made more attractive to students. I will work to create more interest in the commission.

#### For Religious Commissioner



**Georgia Stiehl.** Activities and organizations which I have participated in are the Mason Music Club, SNEA, band, chorus, and Wesley Foundation. I am also serving on the dormitory council this year.

If I were elected I would put forth my best efforts to fulfill the duties of the religious commissioner. I would work to put greater emphasis on religion throughout the year and especially during Religious Emphasis Week. I would encourage cooperation among the various church groups on campus and present their problems to the commission. As a member of the commission I would try to represent the students and to cooperate with other commission members.

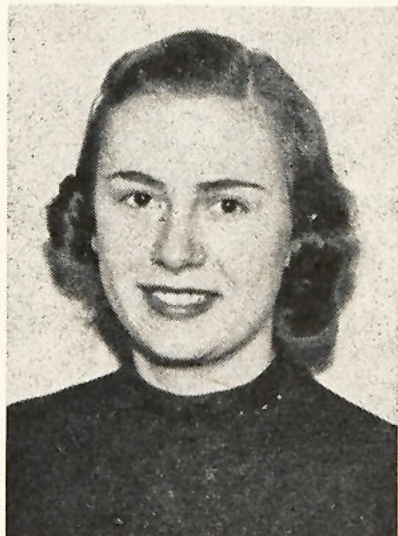
**Beverly Majerus.** I am a member of the Newman Club, SNEA, Wenonah Players, WSSA, and English Club.

I feel that there is a definite lack of enthusiasm in our activities, especially toward Religious



Emphasis Week. I think that this is one of the biggest problems facing those in charge of the activities. If our student body were more informed as to what is going on, interests would be aroused and there would be more active participation. If elected, I will concentrate my efforts on improving this situation to the ultimate best interests of the school.

#### For Publicity Commissioner

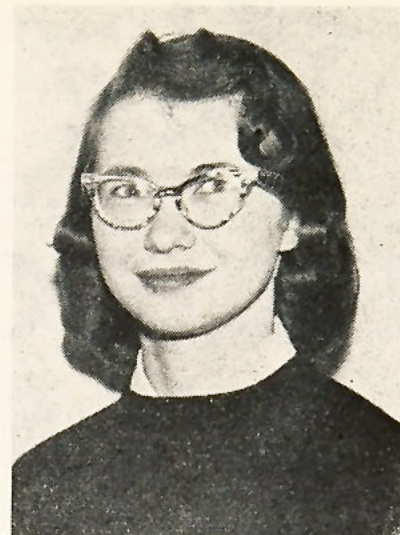


**Mary Claire Thompson.** I have completed three quarters of a publicity and publications class in which I wrote news stories for the Winona Daily News. I am presently Organizations Editor for the 1958 Wenonah and secretary of the English Club. I am also one of the school's petitioning members of the national journalistic fraternity, Pi Delta Epsilon.

If elected, I will maintain, through encouraging student cooperation, the high grade college publications we all desire. I have a keen interest in the field of journalism and will devote my best efforts to the performance of my duties. Specifically, I will work for coordination of efforts among the staff members of the various school publications.

**Carol Brosseth.** I have been a reporter for and News editor of the Winonan. I am taking a series of journalism courses in which I write for the Winona Daily News and make up press releases for area newspapers.

If elected, I will integrate publicity departments to eliminate duplication of work and facilitate better coverage of campus activities. I will initiate a system by which clubs and individuals can notify the publicity department before events occur, and I will organize student groups to represent WSC to high school students



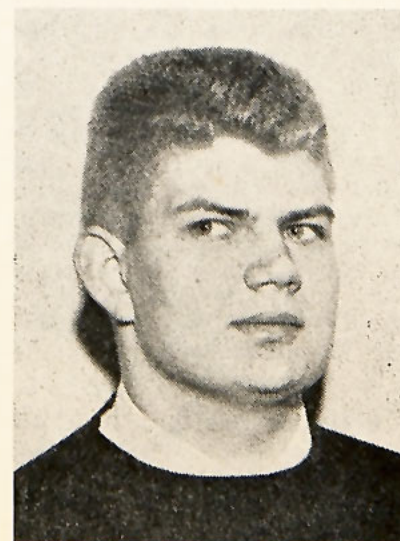
interested in college. I firmly believe that increased publicity of Student Commission actions will improve the student government.

#### For Departmental Commissioner



**William Hahn.** I am now an active member in several of the organizations with which I would be working; specifically, Kappa Delta Pi, SNEA, and the Mason Music Club. I was also a member of last year's Homecoming committee.

If elected, I will stand for what I think is right and most beneficial to all concerned. I will strive to maintain a close relationship between the various clubs and their student government. I believe that we have a good student government started, and that it will improve as its competence to handle student affairs increases.



**George Bohrnstedt.** I have been active in various organizations in high school and college which has provided me with a

broad knowledge of the problems and needs of varying interest groups. In addition, I have had debate experience which would help me in clearly presenting views to the commission.

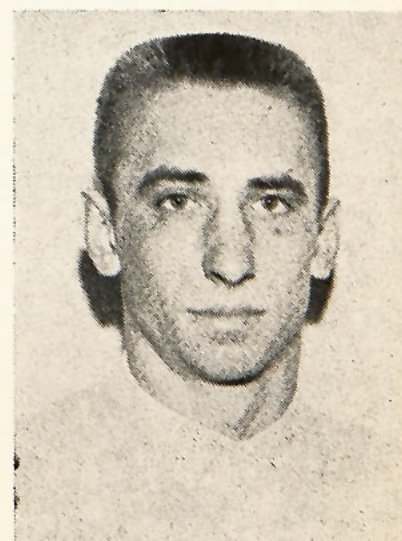
My primary objectives would be to present the problems of the organizations under the jurisdiction of my office and to do so in an unbiased manner, and to labor for the amelioration of student government with a view toward helping the student body.

#### For Administrative Liason



**Margo Tonsager.** I have participated in YWCA, LSA, FTA, WPE, WRA, swim club, and cheerleading. I have helped organize Play Days and the recent swim show.

Since this is a relatively new office I would try to strengthen its position. I would temper the demands of the students through a program of coordination and cooperation with the faculty. I believe that it would be advantageous for the students to obtain a fuller realization of what the commission is doing to better the school. Greater interest would be stimulated if the activities of the student government were widely publicized.



**Gene Lundberg.** During the past two years at Winona State I have been active in the Industrial Arts Club, W Club, football, wrestling, and track. I believe that I have acquired an insight and understanding of student relations and problems.

If I am elected I shall strive for a better understanding of the student government, its purposes and its aims. I think our student-faculty relationship could also be improved. I shall represent the student body to the best of my ability.